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of Joseph Kellogg Bankrupt. Notice
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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN]

Large House Suspended

New York Feb 17—The steam goods house of Suspended to day Its liabilities are about $1 000 000

Death of a Tennessee Politician

Memphis Feb 17—Landrum O Hay senior and a prominent politician of Tennessee died last night.

Albani Leaves Us

New York Feb 17—Mlle Albani the Opera Bouffe opera troupe sailed for Europe to-day

Shall They be Compelled to Study German?

New York Feb 17—The proposition under consideration by the board of education to make obligatory the study of German in the public schools of this city incites with it the most intense opposition

The Railroad War.

Philadelphia Feb 17—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company refuses to allow the Baltimore and Ohio Company to run over its line between Philadelphia and New York and it is said instructions have been given to its employees not to receive and issue no tickets from New York to points on the Baltimore and Ohio road and to honor no through tickets issued by that company

New York, Feb. 17—The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad to-day reduced the fare from here to Chicago and Cincinnati to $16 25 to St Louis $12 50

West Virginia Elects at Last.

Wheeling Feb 16—Allen T Caperton was to-day elected United States Senator for the ensuing six years. This vote stood Caperton 68 Mosely 4 and was then made unanimous

Chicago Feb 17—Allen T Caperton the new United States Senator from West Virginia is a resident of Union, Monroe county. He is a lawyer and of old Virginia antecedents was a member of the Confederate Senate during the war A gentleman of this city who knows him says he is a very strong-headed man

Gov. Kenna will neither veto nor sign the bill removing the capital to Wheeling but will allow it to become a law without his signature.

Arrival of an Oregon Wheat Vessel

New York Feb 17—Arrived at Liverpool—Bark *Hermitage*, Portland Oregon

WASHINGTON CITY.

A Leap to Death.

Washington Feb 17—This afternoon an unknown man jumped from the second outside gallery of the Capitol and struck head first on the roof of the main building 250 feet below

Large Award for War Damages.

Washington Feb 17—The award of $197 000 gold, made by the British and American mixed commission to A R Mcdonald, a British subject resident of Louisville Ky, has been paid by the United States Government The claim was for 10 s mules taken by the army of cotton belonging to Mcdonald and was originally for $2,500 000 and was the second largest claim adjudicated by the commission

The Chinese Prostitute Bill.

Washington Feb 17—The House committee on foreign affairs to-day agreed to report a bill supplementary to acts in relation to immigration which seeks to prevent importation of women from China and Japan for any and all portion for immoral purposes to be limited in duration to five years.

Miscellaneous.

Washington Feb 17—General Thayer has telegraphed his acceptance of the governorship of Wyoming

CONGRESSIONAL.

Washington Feb 17—In the Senate Logan introduced a bill establishing rules and articles for the government of the armies of the United States Referred

Howe called up his motion to reconsider the vote passing the bill granting a site for the Peabody School at St Augustine, Florida, and it was agreed to 31 to 24 Bowman Gilbert Hamlin Morrill of Vermont Sargent Sherman Sprague and Tipton voting with the Democrats in the negative.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the resolution for the admission of Brodhead.

Morton requested the Senate to remain in session till the question was disposed of

Ferry of Connecticut opposed the proposition as it would deprive many senators of a hearing on the question

Sargent then resumed the floor and concluded the argument.

At the conclusion of Sargent's remarks Ferry of Connecticut, in a fifteen minutes speech replied to the senators not to set a precedent so dangerous to Republican institutions as the admission of a Mormon base credentials were signed by and whose only title to the office of governor was procured by fraud perjury and usurpation He had listened with pain to members of the dominant party in the Senate quoting from the record of two slavery times as a legal excuse for unconstitutional acts perpetrated by the Republican party He believed if senators would vote according to their honest convictions this precedent would not be established

Sherman spoke in opposition to the resolution and quoted from testimony taken by the senate committee in 1870 and report made thereon He reviewed and denounced the action of Durell and the telegram of Attorney General Williams to Marshal Packard ordering him to enforce the election

At the conclusion of Stevenson's speech Howe obtained the floor and on motion of Morton the Senate took a recess at 12 to 1 a recess till 7.30

At the evening session Wade made an argument in favor of the resolution admitting Pinchback.

Hamilton moved to amend the resolution by inserting the word not, so that it read Pinchback be not admitted, etc.

Morton moved to adjourn lost—23 to 36

Washington Feb 17—In the House, in the regular order the bill in regard to the election of President and Vice President was called for

Randall wanted the army appropriation bill considered, but on motion of Banks the House went into Committee of the whole on the tariff bill by a vote of 50 to 56 Debate was limited to three quarters of an hour

Burchard made a long statistical speech in favor of the bill, except the portion relating to the horizontal (7) 10 per cent tax

Dunnell and Cox opposed the increased tax on whisky holding that the higher the duty the less revenue is collected

Chittenden denounced the bill as a comprehensive blunder and in the name of civilized commerce protested against any tariff bill this session unless it included tea and coffee

Harris Bright Niblack Beck and Ward, of Illinois also spoke opposing the bill

Atkins closed the general debate in a speech appealing to the patriotism of members to uphold the credit and good faith of the government The committee then proceeded to consider the bill under the five minutes rule

Southard of Ohio moved to strike out the first section of the bill

Taylor of Ohio, opposed the motion and protested against the section, as an unjust discrimination against the Western States, as an unjust discrimination against the Western States, as an unjust discrimination against the Western States

The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING, FEB. 18, 1875.

WHY COMPROMISE?

Whether it is better to compromise a lawsuit, taking less than one is entitled to receive, than to fight it out to the bitter end may depend upon various considerations. Assuming that there are no peculiar moral aspects in a given case, we should say that unless the ultimate legal rights were in doubt, or the delay and expense of reaching them would be very considerable, the true policy would be to insist upon a complete surrender or a complete legal remedy. Upon what grounds President Dillon, of the Union Pacific railway company, or the company he represents, can prefer a claim for any especial favor or leniency at the hands of the Government, it is not easy to perceive. The history of the construction of the road from its incipiency to its completion, is the history of a system of credit mobilier, by which the munificence of the Government was made to filter through the railway enterprise into the coffers of the men engaged in it. The actual cost of the road was paid and more than paid by the Government, and the owners have the road for nothing. They have not even given their time to it, for every day that has been devoted to it by them has been charged up as a part of the cost, at high rates, and paid for out of the Government subsidy.

But the subsidy was a loan, not a gift. Very well, if it was a loan it should be repaid as a loan, according to the terms of the contract, unless the company is unable to meet it. There is no place for "compromise" in a plain case of debt on a written instrument.

As to the ability of the company to pay, the annual report of its officers ought to be pretty good evidence. Their report last summer showed large net earnings, even after allowing the stock subscriptions to be capitalized, whereas in fact they represented not a dollar invested.

The claim of the government is for interest accrued on its loan to the road. The amount already overdue, after deducting the amount due the company from the Government for transportation, is about $1,300,000. The amount annually accruing is not far from $400,000, less the amount of transportation required of the road by the Government, which is very considerable, but can not be accurately stated in advance. The revenues of the company, unless its own reports are unreliable, are amply sufficient to meet this annual interest account. All that is necessary to enable the company to pay the interest as it falls due, is to apply its revenue, in excess of necessary expenses, to the demand in question, instead of capitalizing subscriptions upon which nothing has ever been paid by the holders of certificates.

This is the state of the case which President Dillon proposes to compromise with the Government. To one who is not initiated in the mysteries of railway financiering, it looks very much the same as it would look for the maker of a promissory note, while abundantly solvent, to refuse to pay his note, in order to open the way for litigation, and then, when legal proceedings were talked of, rush forward with a proposition to "compromise." We can recollect nothing like it in the history of public affairs [illegible] adjustment" plank of the Oregon Democratic platform of 1870. The right of the Government to recover the $1,360,000 is reported by the Attorney-General (who is a good lawyer, notwithstanding the N. Y. *Times* and Springfield *Republican* to the contrary), to be clear and indisputable. There is no apparent reason why there should be much delay or expense in reaching a decision of the case; and surely no one will say there are moral considerations to influence the course of the Government favorably to the railway company.

The proposition of the company is, in brief, to pay into the treasury annually for twenty years, $600,000, and thereafter $750,000 annually, which shall be placed to the credit of the company and shall bear interest at 6 per cent. per annum, which also shall be placed to the credit of the company at the end of every half year; the interest on the loan to the company, in the meantime, to remain unpaid, and draw no interest. Then when the amount of the company's account against the Government, with interest accrued thereon, at this practically compound rating, shall be equal to the Government mortgage with simple interest, it shall be covered into the Treasury and the mortgage shall be cancelled. This may be appropriately denominated a method for the payment of the principal of one's debts by refusing to pay the interest. If this wonderful mode of financering had only been discovered a few years sooner, how many of us, instead of going for years with our faces to the grindstone, would now be living in case if not in elegance.

There is, nevertheless, something in the idea that the company, having the management of the road in their own hands, can give the Government great trouble in the future. This appears to influence the Secretary of the Treasury more or less, in considering the company's proposition. Viewed from this standpoint, the hand is in the lion's mouth, and the question of getting it out is the question presented to the Secretary. But the fairness of the proposition is not affected by this consideration, except that it is thus made to appear more unfair and unreasonable.

SHOVEL AND TONGS.

The Baltimore and Ohio railway has always been a sort of off ox in the freight combinations. The other railways could combine, but the B. & O. has paddled its own canoe—if a rail way can be supposed to have a canoe. It was one of the earliest railways in the country, and, having been constructed before the days of bogus stock, its stock subscriptions represented hard money. Of course its construction account did not mount up into the millions as do the construction accounts of roads built under the "lamp-black and-paper" system, albeit the latter cost less in reality than the former. And, as unlike the rest in its management as in its capital stock, the B. & O. has always been reputed as doing business on legitimate principles. Such an institution could not live peaceably in this age. It ought to have known better than to try. Between it and the Pennsylvania railway company there has always been either a state of active war or armed truce. But the conflict has not, as we recollect, been so sharp at any time heretofore, as at present. It is a battle of giants, and will hardly end till one or both have seen the necessity of choosing peace as the alternative of complete exhaustion. Meanwhile the people who have freight to be carried, and the people who travel, will get the benefit of the sharp competition. It is an ill wind that blows no one any good.

DEATH OF E. W. HODGKINSON.

From Mr J. W. Hodgkinson, we learn that his brother E. W. Hodgkinson, who formerly resided in this city, and was one or two terms District Attorney for this district, died recently at the home of his parents at St. James, Suffolk county New York. For some time, Mr. Hodgkinson had been practising his profession in Kansas, until, falling a victim to pulmonary consumption, he started on the 8th of last month, to go and lay himself down in the land of his childhood. He barely reached home before the end came.

Hodgkinson was a talented young man and a genial companion. Not a few in Portland remember him with feelings of more than mere kindness, and will read the announcement of his death with genuine sorrow.

From other sources we learn that the report mentioned by our Oregon City correspondent, of the purpose of superseding Hon. Henry Warren, Receiver of the Land Office, with T. F. Harrison, of Yamhill, is not without foundation. Just think of dismissing such a man as Henry Warren and filling his place with T. F. Harrison!

There is a rumor afloat that an order has been issued from Washington, directing the military authorities of this Department to see that the Onondagas hands over its dispatches to the *Bulletin* every day, at least three hours before the time of going to press. We do not credit it.

The United States grand jury will meet in March, when this community will have a chance to see whether a member of the ring can, by simply resigning the office he has held, avoid a prosecution for embezzlement.

LETTER FROM WASHINGTON.

HARBOR AND RIVER APPROPRIATIONS—WISCONSIN HAS A MAN WHO LOOKS AFTER HER INTERESTS—THE FILIBUSTERING DEMOCRACY—PERSONAL.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 9, 1875.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Two-thirds of the second session of the 43d Congress has expired, with apparently but little progress made. Yet something has been done. The appropriation bills have all been considered in their respective committees and several have passed the House. There is no danger that any of them will fail for want of action. The river and harbor bill is the one in which your people are most interested. It is before the House committee on commerce, and will not be reported until the return of Mr. Wheeler, of New York, who is now at New Orleans investigating. The amounts for your Wallamet and Columbia (Upper and Lower) rivers have been agreed upon and will be passed substantially as reported. The total amounts for those two rivers embracing more than 400 miles in length, is the magnificent sum of $85,000 in currency. To show how Portland is treated with her large [illegible] domestic commerce, I will merely mention that the amount to be reported for the improvement of the Wallamet and Columbia rivers from Portland to the sea, is $20,000 for the improvement of Superior Bay, Wisconsin, with not half the commerce, $140,000. The reason is not very obscure. The acting chairman in Mr. Wheeler's absence is Philetus Sawyer, of Wisconsin, and he is looking after the interests of his constituents with a vigilance even [illegible]. In addition, this has gone for other places in Wisconsin the following appropriations, viz: Fox and Wisconsin rivers, $750,000; Green Bay, $25,000; Menomonee, $25,000; Sturgeon Bay, $40,000; Ahnapee, $25,000; Two Rivers, $25,000; Manitowac, $25,000; Sheboygan, $12,000; Port Washington, $25,000; Milwaukee, $50,000; Racine, $10,000; and Kenosha, $30,000. A total of $1,152,000. Mr. Sawyer has been here a number of years, is a man of ability, and looks carefully after the wants of his constituents. And this leads me to say that Oregon appears to be very blind to her own interests. If Col. Nesmith had been returned, with his great natural abilities and his long experience in Congress, he would undoubtedly have been chairman of some important committee when his political friends come into power, and he could have been of more use to the people of Oregon and Washington Territory than half a dozen green men.

THE CONTEST IN THE HOUSE.

A strange scene was enacted in the House last week, which, if a traveler had reported it to have taken place among the Maoris of New Zealand, or in an assemblage of Chinese notables, we would have considered proof positive that those miserable pagans were demented and utterly unfit for self government. The majority of the House (the Republicans) determined to pass the civil rights bill, which the minority (the Democrats) were resolved should not occur; so, whenever any attempt was made to bring the matter up, Mr. Randall, of Penn., (Dem.) seconded by Mr. Cox, of New York, (Dem.) would move that the House do now adjourn, supplemented by a motion that when it does adjourn it adjourns to Saturday; and with a slight variation of alternating Friday for Saturday, this delightful farce was kept up forty-six hours, during which the roll was called seventy-six times. There was a continuous session for nearly two days and nights, and during that time nothing was done but read a list of names, to prevent the majority—really two-thirds—of the House from doing an act which they alone were responsible for to the country. It appears a motion to adjourn is always in order—no matter how often made—if, any subsequent business has been transacted by the House, and some legislative sharp discovered years ago that a motion to "adjourn till Saturday when they adjourn" is subsequent business. This is called parliamentary law! The Opposition performed their part a little too well, for it showed the Republicans that it was in the power of the minority, if they only numbered a fifth, by dilatory motions to defeat any bill they chose. Hence yesterday the House resolved, by two-thirds—138 to 69—that they would so change the rules that no dilatory motion to adjourn would be considered more than once.

LIBERUM VETO.

In the Polish Diet, before the partition of those Crooked Poles among the great States of Europe, it was in the power of any member to stop all further proceedings on any bill, or on the election of a King by raising his finger and crying out, as Sam Randall did for the yeas and nays—"*Nie pozwalam*—I don't permit." Of course everything fell into chaos, and Poland went to the devil—or whichever the same thing—to the Russians, Austrians and Prussians, and Carlyle declares that this *liberum veto* was the fatal cause, and that any people who would tolerate such a libel on common sense ought to be, as they were, wiped out of the map of Europe.

M. C. ENDORSEMENTS BY GOVERNMENT.

I am of the opinion that no government aid will be given this session of congress. The principal bills are for the aid of the Texas Pacific and Northern Pacific roads. I think both these bills would pass the Senate if reported from the committee, but there is danger that they would fail in the House. However, the friends of these measures have not given up all hope yet, but it is a forlorn hope.

PERSONAL.

There is the usual crowd of gentlemen from the Wehfoot country here. Among others whom I have met were Ben Holladay, Col. Chapman, Capt. Crandall, Gen. Ben Simpson, B. J. Pengra, H. I. Chapman and David P. Thompson. The latter is almost a permanent institution here.

Col. Chapman is working with all his might, but I regret to say, his success is scarcely within the limits of probability.

Ben Holladay is here looking after his mail contracts, and trying to get the time of his Westside R. R. land grant extended. He also has a gloomy outlook. I never saw Mr. Holladay appear in better health; and when I saw him at Postmaster Gen. Jewell's reception the other evening, with his fair young bride clinging so tenderly to his arm, he looked so youthful and happy that no one would have dreamed he had reached the shady side of fifty.

J. P. Chapman, civil engineer, is trying to get the jetty system, now in use at the mouth of the Danube, extended to the mouth of the Willamet. He asks an appropriation of $85,000. Prospects poor.

J. B. Montgomery and wife are stopping at "The Arlington." He looks as though he would not object to a government guarantee of bonds for the Northern Pacific, but he does not appear very hopeful.

SEMI-OCCASIONAL.

FROM OREGON CITY.

Our regular correspondent, writing from the above place under date of the 17th, says:

It has been reported on the streets for several days that Henry Warren is to be shortly removed from the office of Receiver at the land office in this district, and that L. F. Hawkins, of Yamhill, is to take his place. We have this on good authority. Senator Mitchell has telegraphed to a party in this place, that he felt himself under *obligation* to propose the name of Mr. Harrison for the office which Mr. Warren holds. We do not, of course, understand the nature of the obligation under which Mr. Mitchell is placed, but we do know that Mr. Warren has made a prompt, faithful and competent officer, and we shall be sorry to see him removed. We do not know how Mr. Harrison will succeed, but it would be hard to find a better officer than Warren. "Civil service reform" has been forgotten in this instance, as in most of the others of Mitchell's selection and Grant's appointment in this State.

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At Salem, Feb. 11, by A. McElhany and Mrs. Ellen A. Moe.

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Portland, Feb. 16, 1875. fe16d1m

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L. H. LEWIS,
Treasurer City of Portland.

Portland, Feb. 11, 1875.

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Through freight to Oysterville will be receipted for by the O. S. N. Co's wharf at Portland, and through passage can be secured by applying to Purser on the Company's steamers.

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200 bxs Fancy SOAP,
50 chests Japan TEA,
50 bxs WASHING POWDER,

ALSO,

DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING,

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20 bls Steel FIRE IRONS,
8 doz GALVANIZED BUCKETS,
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ENTERTAINMENT.—We learn that Multnomah Lodge No. 12, I. O. G. T., intend giving an entertainment, for the benefit of the lodge, the latter part of next week. They have selected the drama of "The Drunkard," and the characters are sustained by members of the Order, except Mr. C. A. Dall and E. E. Ellis, who have volunteered for the occasion. They are rehearsing under competent direction, and intend to present it in first-class style.

TIMES SHORTENED.—A wood-sawing machine, set up in the lower end of First street yesterday, made it necessary for the street cars to stop at the next turn-table above, and passengers had to foot it for three or four blocks. The passengers were not particularly pleased with the arrangement, nor did it improve the superintendent of the street railway any in their estimation. Why was it?

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U. S. Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Oregon, February 17, 1875:

	7 A. M.	2 P. M.
Thermometer	39°	49°
Wind, direction	N.	Calm
Wind, velocity	2	0
Weather	Fair.	Clear.

Minimum temperature .....

MASQUERADES.—A children's masquerade will take place at the rink on the 27th inst., and on March 13th a grand masquerade will be the event at the same place. Prices have been reduced, and ladies are admitted free.

DALLES MAIL.—The Dalles mail arrived here overland last evening about 9 o'clock. This afternoon at four o'clock the mail will start back, closing at 3:30.

THE STAGE.

Madame Phelps and troupe are still at Victoria.

Omar Kingsley and the DuCrow brothers are performing in San Francisco for Wilson's circus.

We observe by exchanges that the celebrated (?) McGinley Variety Troupe ("evolutionista a star"), will soon appear in San Francisco.

Mr. J. H. Leroy, who has been connected with the Phelps dramatic troupe, returned from Victoria last evening, his engagement with Mrs. Phelps having terminated. He will embark on the *Ajax* for San Francisco.

An exchange says that Sam. W. Piercy, some time leading man of the Academy of Chicago, is doing nothing in consequence of a little difficulty of arriving at the opinion to which was the leading part after Virginius, that of Icilius or Appius Claudius.

The *Figaro* of the 6th says: "Yesterday afternoon the complete paraphernalia of Cooper & Bailey's circus was sold at auction in the Bella Union way Hall, Manager Wilson being the auctioneer and purchaser. The entire stud of horses, mules, etc., is also to be sold, it being Signor Cooper's intention to retire from the business. During the many years in which Gus. Cooper and Chiarini has been a successful circus manager, he has traveled through and exhibited in every part of the known world, from the Cape of Good Hope to Japan."

THE FAIR.

At the lunch yesterday the rush was so great that many were obliged to wait, and although partook were supplied with a substantial well-cooked meal. The attendance at the fair was even larger than on previous evenings, and the receipts indicated an increase. During the day and evening a number of articles were raffled off, a list of which will be given in full those to be mentioned to-morrow. From 12 to 2 the usual lunch will be served, and during this period several articles will be raffled off. In the evening the fair will continue as before, and towards the close raffles will take place, and dancing will form a feature. The hall will be closed on Friday evening and the fair will resume on Saturday evening. The managers have been untiring in their efforts, and a financial success is certain to be the reward. The receipts, so far, exceed the expectations. Big lunch to-day from 11 to 2 P. M.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Progress Club (subscription) party this Thursday evening.

The ball at Oregon City on Monday evening was a perfect success, so all say who were there.

A phantom party to-night and a tin wedding next Monday evening are among the novelties to come off.

A number of our firemen will attend the ball of Hook and Ladder Co. at McMinnville next Monday evening.

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The bids received by the Board, for said brick work will be opened by said Board at their office in Salem, on the 10th day of March, 1875, at one o'clock P. M. of said day. The Board reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

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By order of the Board

H. STAPLETON, Sec'y.

P. L. WILLIS, Secretary.
Salem, Feb. 10, 1875.

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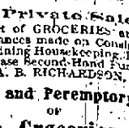

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The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING, FEB. 18, 1875.

THE CITY.

MAYHEM.—About 12 o'clock on Tuesday night a boy named Miller came to the police headquarters, and stated that he wished to swear out a warrant for the arrest of two men, whose names he gave, for the crime of mayhem committed on him. When Miller reached the jail his appearance indicated great personal violence. There were several severe bruises about his head and face, and a portion of his left ear was almost bitten off. The injured organ was still bleeding, while the bitten portion was only held by two small threads of cartilage. The boy stated that while on his father's farm, situated about 12 miles from the city, he was attacked by two men (names he suppressed for certain reasons) on Tuesday afternoon. One of the men knocked him down, struck him several times afterward, and then nearly bit off his left ear. Miller got up at length when he was brutally assaulted by the other man, who dealt him several blows. Finding his life in danger he took to his heels and made his escape. Soon after the brutal assault young Miller started on foot for Portland, reaching here about midnight. For a long time a feud has existed between the Millers and the family to which the two men are connected; and it would seem that the unprovoked attack made on the defenseless lad can be accounted for in no other manner but the bad blood between the respective families. A warrant has been issued and placed in the hands of an officer, and the guilty parties will be arrested to-day. If reports are true they should suffer the full extent of the law for their brutality.

ACCIDENT—FOUND GUILTY.—On Tuesday evening, about 11 o'clock, after having been out several hours, the jury in the case of State vs. John DeBoest and Mrs. Annie Stromeyer, indicted for rape, returned a verdict of not guilty. The defendants were released from custody at once. Yesterday the case of John Dougherty, indicted for grand larceny, came on for trial. After a short deliberation the jury returned a verdict of guilty as charged. As yet the court has not fixed a time for passing sentence on the prisoner. On being arraigned in court yesterday morning, Thomas Green, a colored man, indicted for larceny from a dwelling, withdrew his previously entered plea of not guilty, and submitted a plea of guilty. Friday morning was fixed as the time for pronouncing sentence against the prisoner.

PASSENGERS.—The steamer *Ajax* will sail this forenoon for San Francisco. She carries away the following passengers: Thos. Davenport, Al. Zieber, M. W. Henderson, Jos Kohn, M. Sellet, W. J. VanSchuyver, Jno. Hartland, Mrs. V. B. Mitchell, Miss E. Megler, Mrs. M. T. Wilson, J. Harris, H. G. Pease, Mrs. F. M. Cole, Mrs. J. Yates, Thos. B. Morris, J. M. Whitworth, Chas. L. Dell, Marshall Blinn, T. Dittenreiffer, Mrs. F. P. Church, B. H. Brooks, A. J. Bonner, E. Guinn, H. A. Griffin, A. E. Goodnough, C. F. Smart, Henry Bozal and 3 children, Mrs. J. R. Bellinger and child, G. W. Lee and child, Miss Mary DuBois, Frank Phillips, C. W. Ettens, J. S. Crellin, Robert McKay, Miss Mary Stanton, Mrs. H. N. Blakely, Dr. A. M. Belt, Wells, Fargo & Co.'s messenger and 20 in the steerage.

AN EVENING WITH SIR WALTER SCOTT.—The literarily informally organized a short time since in the Unitarian Church, will furnish a literary treat this evening to their friends, at the chapel corner of Yamhill and Seventh. A short sketch of Scott's life will be followed by illustrative readings and recitations, in which several well-known amateurs have consented to take part. The entertainment begins at half past 7, and the public is invited. No admission fee.

ENTERTAINMENT.—We learn that Multnomah Lodge No. 12, I. O. G. T., intend giving an entertainment, for the benefit of the lodge, the latter part of next week. They have selected the drama of "The Drunkard," and the characters are sustained by members of the Order, except Mr. C. A. Ball and E. R. Bow, who have volunteered for the occasion. They are rehearsing under competent instruction, and intend to present it in first-class style.

TIRE SHRINKED.—A wood-sawing machine, set up in the lower end of First street yesterday, made it necessary for the street cars to stop at the next turn-table above, and passengers had to foot it for three or four blocks. The passengers were not particularly well pleased with the arrangement, nor did it tickle the superintendent of the street railway much. Why, was it?

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U.S. Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Oregon, February 17, 1875:

	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.
Thermometer	32°	39°	35°
Wind, direction	N.	Calm.	Calm.
Wind, velocity	0	0	0
Weather	Fair.	Clear.	Clear.

Minimum temperature 31°

MASQUERADES.—A children's masquerade will take place at the rink on the 27th inst., and on March 13th a grand masquerade will be the event at the same place. Prices have been reduced and ladies are admitted free.

DALLES MAIL.—The Dalles mail arrived here overland last evening about 9 o'clock. This afternoon at four o'clock the mail will start back, closing at 3:30.

THE STAGE.

Madame Phelps and troupe are still at Victoria.

Omar Kingsley and the DuCrow brothers are performing in San Francisco for John Wilson's circus.

We observe by exchanges that the celebrated (?) McGinley Variety Troupe ("every artiste a star"), will soon appear in San Francisco.

Mr. J. H. Leroy, who has been connected with the Phelps dramatic troupe, returned from Victoria last evening, his engagement with Mrs. Phelps having terminated. To-day he will embark on the *Ajax* for San Francisco.

An exchange says that Sam. W. Piercy, some time leading man of the Academy, Chicago, is doing nothing in consequence of some little difficulty of arriving at the opinion as to which was the leading part after Virginius, that of Icilius or Appius Claudius.

The *Figaro* of the 6th says: "Yesterday afternoon the complete paraphernalia of Chiarini's circus was sold at auction in the Dashaway Hall, Manager Wilson being the chief purchaser. The entire stud of horses and mules is also to be sold, it being Signor Chiarini's intention to retire from the business. During the many years in which Guiseppe Chiarini has been a successful circus manager, he has traveled through and exhibited in every part of the known world, from the Cape of Good Hope to Japan."

THE FAIR.

At the lunch yesterday the rush was so great that many were obliged to wait, and all who partook were supplied with a substantial, well-cooked meal. The attendance at night was even larger than on previous evenings, and the receipts indicated an increase. During the day and evening a number of articles were raffled off, a list of which will be given with those to be mentioned to-morrow. From 11 to 2 the usual lunch will be served, and during this period several articles will be raffled. In the evening the fair will continue as heretofore, and towards the close raffles will take place, and dancing will form a feature. The hall will be closed on Friday evening and the fair will resume on Saturday evening. The managers have been untiring in their efforts, and a financial success is certain to be their reward. The receipts, so far, exceed the expectations. Big lunch to-day from 11 A. M. to 2 P. M.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Progress Club (subscription) party next Thursday evening.

The ball at Oregon City on Monday evening was a perfect success, so all say who were there.

A phantom party to-night and a tin wedding next Monday evening are among the novelties to come off.

A number of our firemen will attend the ball of Hook and Ladder Co. at McMinnville next Monday evening.

From early morn till late at night Fubre & Barnes serve viands to the public.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Pay your taxes and avoid trouble.

The Hebrew Ladies' Fair still continues.

No more county court until next month.

Away at 10 o'clock this forenoon—the *Ajax*.

Distant rumblings heard from the base ball ists.

The new custom house is not ready for occupancy yet.

The *Spirit of the Dawn* is lying at the W. L. Works wharf.

The harsh cawing of the crow is once more heard in the land.

A number of car-wheels were brought up on the last steamer.

The docks in the State circuit courts is being rapidly disposed of.

One hundred tons of pig iron will be shipped below to-day on the *Ajax*.

Clearing streets and trimming shade trees is eminently in order at present.

The Occidental Hotel is undergoing a change which will render it more comfortable in future.

The planking along First street, between North Davis and North Front, is going slowly forward.

Passengers bound for San Francisco should be on the steamer this morning at 9:30 Baggage in hand.

Work is being crowded forward with all dispatch on the O. S. N. Co.'s new steamer at the boneyard.

Spring fever threatens to succeed the scarlet fever which has been going the rounds of the city for the past month.

"Too thin" has become obsolete. "Not sufficiently materialized" is the latest form in which the idea is clothed.

A new awning is being erected at the corner of Stark and Front streets, in front of J. R. Foster's hardware store.

Mr. Frank Beardsley is now with B. L. Stone, the jeweler, and will attend to the orders for repairing and engraving.

Wagner Bros. are fitting up the store on Front street formerly occupied by Loeb Bros. for a barber shop and bath house.

From the combined efforts of a large force of carpenters, a wonderful transformation is going forward at the O. S. N. Co.'s wharf.

Mr. B. F. Goodwin fills a vacancy in the county clerk's office occasioned by the transfer of Mr. R. L. Durham to the clerkship of the circuit court.

Where the Nicolson pavement along Front street has given entirely away in various places, the depressions are being filled up with sand and stones.

Mr. Henry Kindred assumes command of the *Annie Stewart* to-day, vice Capt. John Wolf, who lays off till the Columbia river opens, when he will be "at home" once more.

The yacht *Ont*, owned by parties in this city, was sunk at the foot of F street during the late freeze up. Yesterday several persons were employed in raising the sunken craft.

Hallett, of the Clarendon Hotel, rigged up a donkey engine and portable circular saw yesterday, and sawed in a few hours as much wood as a regiment of Johns could do in a day.

The latest dodge is a neck-tie under which is a card bearing the inscription, "You know you belie me"—a warning to bores. The card comes to view by the wearer pulling an invisible string.

Several shade trees in a dying condition about the court house block were dug up yesterday, and vigorous ones substituted. The attention of the grader left these trees too slender root-hold.

A large quantity of salmon and canned beef will be taken on board the steamer *Ajax* to-day at Westport. The steamer will come to anchor opposite that point, and the *Shoo Fly* will bring the freight side.

The stairway, gas fixtures, ornaments, etc., ordered from the East have arrived, and are being placed in their places in Ankeny's new theater. The establishment will be opened during the latter part of March.

THE COURTS.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.

TUESDAY, Feb. 16, 1875.

In re St. Helens Mill Co.; entry allowing compromise vacated, and order as annexed.

In the matter of grand jury; ordered that grand jury be drawn and summoned for the 9th day of March next.

Adjourned to Tuesday next.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SHATTUCK, J.

Cornelius Coughlin vs J. Sorensen & W. Taylor; judgment on verdict.

Ann Ryan vs Thomas Ryan; referred to C. M. Kincaid to take testimony and report the facts.

State of Oregon vs Thomas Green; plea of not guilty withdrawn and plea of guilty entered; Friday set for sentence.

Chung Wing Kong Tai vs D. Jacobi; stricken from the docket.

State of Oregon vs John DeBoest and Anne Stromeyer; jury rendered a verdict of not guilty; defendant discharged.

State of Oregon vs Bridget Gallagher; demurrer to indictment argued and taken under advisement.

State of Oregon vs John Dougherty; jury rendered a verdict of guilty as charged in the indictment.

State of Oregon vs Lee Gan; larceny; tried and cause submitted.

John Flinn vs J. T. Williams; cause on trial.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

A Chinaman, for disorderly conduct, contributed $10 to the City Treasury.

The case of Ah Quoy, accused of stealing $10, was taken under advisement until this morning.

Ham Wah, a Celestial, for refusing to clean the street in front of his place of abode, was discharged.

John Haine, for imbibing large quantities of diluted benzine, and sleeping on the sidewalk, got one day in jail.

This morning the following cases will be disposed of: Loong Sing, for refusing to clean the streets; Peter Eddy, for indecent exposure; Nora Connor and Mollie Cotton, for selling liquor without license.

Ah Fow, charged with having appropriated the sum of $34, was called up for final examination was asked on the part of the prosecution to procure additional testimony. It was overruled by the court, and the defendant discharged.

John Welch, the person who cut such a prominent figure on Tuesday by riding through the streets at a furious rate, and conducting himself like a madman, was fined $5 and costs for fast riding. He paid, and it is to be hoped has profited by the experience.

PERSONAL.

We acknowledge the pleasure of a call from Hiram Smith, Esq., of Harrisburg. He is stopping at the Clarendon.

Mr. C. L. Dell, of Harris, Dell & Co., agents of the Star Line Packets, sails on the steamer. He goes on business connected with the company.

Mr. Jos. Kohn, the well-known clothier, is off on the steamer. He will return with new goods in the meantime sending up some lots necessary to fill up stock.

EAST OF THE MOUNTAINS.

The following was the state of the weather last evening, east of the mountains, at 9 o'clock:

Walla Walla—Weather cloudy; thermometer 32°.

Wallula—Cloudy; thermometer 32.

Umatilla—Cloudy; thermometer 32.

Celilo—Little cloudy; thermometer 32°.

Dalles—Clear; thermometer 32°.

Cascade—Clear and pleasant to-night; thermometer now 37°.

PHOTOGRAPHY.

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COMMON COUNCIL.

PORTLAND, FEB. 17, 1875.

A regular meeting of the Common Council was held last evening. His Honor Mayor Failing in the Chair. W. S. Caldwell, auditor, and clerk and Captain Wilson in attendance.

Members present—Cat'in, Corbett, Hoyt, Lyon, Story and Thompson.

Absent—Dosser, Morehead and Russell.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

PETITION.

A petition was read from W. H. Ellinger and others, asking to have a line of sewer constructed at the intersection of Twelfth and Alder streets. Referred to the committee on fire and water.

REPORTS.

A report was read from the committee on fire and water, to whom was referred the ordinance relative to the establishment of an automatic telegraph fire alarm in the city. The committee reported the ordinance back with sundry amendments, and recommended that it pass. Report adopted.

From the committee on streets and public property, to whom was referred the petition of J. B. Miller and others asking to have lamps erected at the corners of Ninth and Yamhill and Eleventh and Yamhill streets. The committee reported favorably to the erection of a lamp at the corner of Ninth and Yamhill, and adversely to the erection of the other lamp. Report adopted.

A very lengthy report was read from the committee on streets and public property, in relation to the improvement of a certain portion of B street; report adopted.

From the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred the petition of J. Kraemer and others, recommending that the petition be granted; adopted.

From the same committee, to whom was referred the report of the police judge. The committee returned the names of sundry persons to whom was due fees, aggregating the sum of $12 50. The report was adopted and the auditor authorized to issue warrants in favor of the persons named.

From the same committee, to whom was referred the petition of Capt. A. P. Ankeny, in relation to A street; at the intersection of First. The committee referred the same back, and recommended that the petition go to the files; adopted.

The same committee, to whom was referred the petition of Arthur Fabre asking for the privilege of using the northern wall of the new brick engine house of Multnomah Co. No. 2, for the period of 5 years. Recommended that the prayer of the petitioner be granted on certain conditions specified, and under certain restrictions. Adopted.

COMMUNICATION FROM COUNCILMAN RUSSELL.

The following communication was read from Councilman E. F. Russell:

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 1, 1875.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Portland—GENTLEMEN: Having been a member of the Common Council of the city of Portland for more than two years past, it has ever been my pleasure to discharge the duties of my office to the best of my ability, and for the best interests of my constituents.

Having been absent from the city for several weeks past upon personal business, and knowing that I will necessarily be absent a greater portion of the time during the remainder of my term of office, I hereby tender my resignation of said office as councilman from the second Ward for the unexpired term.

With the best wishes for your prosperity and that of our city, I am, very respectfully yours, &c.,

E. F. RUSSELL.

On motion of Councilman Thompson, the above communication was received and placed on file.

The auditor reported to the Council that he had been served with papers in the case of O. C. R. R. vs. City of Portland, wherein plaintiffs review the action of the Council in reference to the collection of taxes for the year 1875. Saturday next is designated as return day.

CLAIMS.

The following claims against the city were ordered paid: J. H. Butler, $20; Portland Gas Co., $26 35; J. H. Lappeus, $218; H. Lueg, $7; P. Sykes, $8; G. W. Vaughn, $100; L. Therkelsen, $26 50; Oregonian, $16 47; *Bulletin*, $7; J. W. Drew, $141, 10; Sorensen & Taylor, $101.

ORDINANCES.

An ordinance extending the time in which interments can be made in the Hebrew cemetery, was read first, second and third times and passed.

From the committee on ways and means: An ordinance transferring funds from the general to the special funds. Read first, second and third time and passed.

From the committee on ways and means: An ordinance making an appropriation of $7,650 to pay the interest on bonds. Read first, second and third time and passed.

From the committee on fire and water: An ordinance authorizing the construction of a sidewalk and apron in front of lot 6, block 50 (cost not to exceed the sum of $75). Read first, second and third time and passed.

From the committee on judiciary: An ordinance to repeal ordinance No. 1,416, fixing the compensation of the police commissioners, was read first, second and third time and passed.

From the committee on streets and public property: An ordinance authorizing the conveyance of certain real property on certain conditions. Read first, second and third time and passed.

From the committee on streets and public property: An ordinance authorizing the contract for certain work on B street, the cost of which is not to exceed the sum of $80. Read first, second and third time and passed.

ENGROSSED ORDINANCES.

An ordinance, making an appropriation out of the fire department fund, was read third time and passed.

An ordinance, introduced by Councilman Besser, fixing the compensation of the Police Commissioners at $3 per day, was read third time and passed.

An ordinance, authorizing the purchase of an automatic telegraph fire alarm, at a cost to the city not exceeding $7,500, was read a third time and passed.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were read and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on judiciary be and are hereby instructed to report to the Council, and if in their opinion they deem it advisable, to employ Hon. William Strong to assist the City Attorney in all suits pending against the city by the O. & C. R. R. Co.

Resolved, That the committee on streets and public property, in connecting the street lamps mentioned and described in ordinance [illegible] with the gas mains, be and are hereby authorized to change the location of said lamps to opposite or diagonal corners of the same streets whenever, in their judgment, it is for the public interest to do so.

Resolved, That the Auditor be and is hereby directed to issue warrants for the collection of delinquent street assessments for the improvement of Jefferson street.

AUTHORIZATIONS.

The following authorizations were ordered: That the committee on streets and public property cause a lamp to be erected at the corner of Ninth and Yamhill streets, at a sum not to exceed $50; that the committee on fire and water expend a sum not to exceed $15 for the purchase of iron plates for Companies No. 1 and 3; that the same committee expend the sum $11 50 in the purchase of two dozen torches and five lanterns for the use of the several fire companies.

On motion the Council adjourned.

The large sale of Elmwood cellars proves their popularity. If you have not yet worn them, try them at once.

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Custom, with a heart that degrades woman to a doll, and a head that is proof of fruitless, subject to the caprice and whims of our nobler lord, has debarred woman—once sinned—from being received into society with the man who has fallen a score of times. To right this custom and leave the fallen is the true principle of the pure woman suffragist. While one is compelled to look up to the other, the weaker will always be imposed upon. Jesus gave the right law to the scribes and Pharisees when he told the one without sin to cast the first stone.

Much that Arcadia has said is true and good, but the arguments presented go so route a foundation as these quotations show, and will convince the reader that she is not prejudiced. She, like many other anti-woman suffragists, seems to think that women want the ballot so they can step into office. No good woman has such a thought in view. A higher principle, a nobler thought, inspires the human heart. I think that while the same cross is before the man and woman for the same offense, the man will be less liable to drag a fellow-creature so low. When virtuous and salutary laws can be made by the vote of pure woman—the fallen number only one in four hundred—the evil can will do good, though it perhaps ought not.

How one in favor of saving the fallen, reclaiming the drunkard and hastening the reign of righteousness can oppose the right of suffrage, because a few dozen bad women will have the opportunity of showing their badness, I cannot understand. How long would it take the 50,000 women of our State to send to oblivion the 150 bad ones, think you?

I thought, when I read "Arcadia's" article in your excellent paper, that her brain was a little muddled on this one point of woman suffrage, and if she could have it straightened a little she would be a fervent woman suffragist, and for her good only have I written this article.

LAURA K.

Mr. Leo Foxe, who was for a long time a successful merchant in Albany, where his brothers still reside, has recently returned from a visit to Europe and a private letter says he has purchased an interest in woolen mills at Laporte, California, where he will reside and conduct business for the future.

The rivers are again open and business is looking up. Alive to the necessities of the times, BECK & WALDMAN have made a liberal reduction in the price of dress suits, clothing, in fact to suit all tastes. They can provide the youth of this broad land with neat fitting suits which will certainly please the mamma's and papa's. The stock is large and no one can leave the house looking seedy after only a careful inspection of their display. Morning, noon or night they are prepared to do justice to their patrons. The old place, Washington and Front streets.

In order to roll up his stock, Mr. JOSEPH KOHN, will leave shortly for San Francisco for the purpose of making a personal selection of Spring Goods. Mr. K. has had many years experience and knows exactly the wants of the trade. In connection, it is well to say that the stock of clothing, furnishing goods, etc., at present in store is fully as large as can be seen at any establishment of the kind on the Northern coast. He can accommodate you now, both as to quality of goods and prices. Call to-day at his place, opposite National Bank.

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Way-mail going south on the West Side R. R. for Oregon and Northern California arrives daily at 4:00 p. m. Closes at 9 a. m.

West Side R. R. for Hillsboro and Forest Grove, arrives daily at 4:00 p. m. Closes at 9 a. m.

The Dalles and Eastern Oregon, Washington Territory and Idaho, arrives daily (Sunday excepted) at 4:00 p. m. Closes at 9 a. m.

Kalama, Olympia, &c., arrives Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 4:00 p. m. Closes at 9 a. m.

Astoria arrives daily (Sunday excepted) at 6:00 p. m. Closes at 9 a. m.

Salem, Eola and Dallas arrives daily (Sunday excepted) at 6:00 p. m. Closes at 9 a. m.

Scappoose, Westport, Clatskanie City, Willamette Slough, Sauvies Island, Linnton, Hillsboro and Forest Grove arrives Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6:00 p. m. Closes at 9 a. m.

Lafayette, via Salem, Monmouth, and Newberg, arrives Friday at 6:00 p. m. Closes at 9 a. m.

Salem, via Butteville, Eagle Creek, Cottonwood, Butte Creek and Silverton, leaves Friday at 1:00 p. m. Arrives Saturday at 7 p. m.

Scholl's Ferry, leaves Saturday, arrives Monday at 10 a. m. Closes at 10 a. m.

White Salmon, W. T., leaves Saturday, arrives Monday at 4 p. m.

Sitka, Alaska, once a month.

San Francisco, call by steamer tri-monthly.

Hood River and Shell Rock (Oregon) leave Saturday at 9 A. M., arrive Monday evening.

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Custom, with a heart that degrades woman to a doll, and a head that is proof of fruitless, subject to the caprice and whims of our nobler lord, has debarred woman—once sinned—from being received into society with the man who has fallen a score of times. To right this custom and leave the fallen is the true principle of the pure woman suffragist. While one is compelled to look up to the other, the weaker will always be imposed upon. Jesus gave the right law to the scribes and Pharisees when he told the one without sin to cast the first stone.

Much that Arcadia has said is true and good, but the arguments presented go so route a foundation as these quotations show, and will convince the reader that she is not prejudiced. She, like many other anti-woman suffragists, seems to think that women want the ballot so they can step into office. No good woman has such a thought in view. A higher principle, a nobler thought, inspires the human heart. I think that while the same cross is before the man and woman for the same offense, the man will be less liable to drag a fellow-creature so low. When virtuous and salutary laws can be made by the vote of pure woman—the fallen number only one in four hundred—the evil can will do good, though it perhaps ought not.

How one in favor of saving the fallen, reclaiming the drunkard and hastening the reign of righteousness can oppose the right of suffrage, because a few dozen bad women will have the opportunity of showing their badness, I cannot understand. How long would it take the 50,000 women of our State to send to oblivion the 150 bad ones, think you?

I thought, when I read "Arcadia's" article in your excellent paper, that her brain was a little muddled on this one point of woman suffrage, and if she could have it straightened a little she would be a fervent woman suffragist, and for her good only have I written this article.

LAURA K.

Mr. Leo Foxe, who was for a long time a successful merchant in Albany, where his brothers still reside, has recently returned from a visit to Europe and a private letter says he has purchased an interest in woolen mills at Laporte, California, where he will reside and conduct business for the future.

The rivers are again open and business is looking up. Alive to the necessities of the times, BECK & WALDMAN have made a liberal reduction in the price of dress suits, clothing, in fact to suit all tastes. They can provide the youth of this broad land with neat fitting suits which will certainly please the mamma's and papa's. The stock is large and no one can leave the house looking seedy after only a careful inspection of their display. Morning, noon or night they are prepared to do justice to their patrons. The old place, Washington and Front streets.

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The Dalles and Eastern Oregon, Washington Territory and Idaho, arrives daily (Sunday excepted) at 4:00 p. m

The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING, FEB 18 1875

THE TWO HOMES.

Two homes stand side by side
Their doors are open wide
Each has a hearth and each has a welcome
And each has a table spread
For the evening meal
And each has a mother to say grace
And each has children four
Who troop in through the door
When the day's play is done
And the night comes on
And each has a father who toils for them
Through the heat of the day
Through the cold and the rain
Through the sun and the storm
Through the pain and the strife
Through the long years of life
Who toils for them
And loves them
And would die for them
Two homes side by side
Two fathers
Two mothers
Two families
Two children
Two hearts
Two lives
Two deaths
Two graves
Two homes side by side

SIMPLE ALICE

The Chicago *Tribune* tells the following: The clerk of a prominent South Side jeweller wears armlets under his left eye. There is a handsome gold locket for sale at Lapman's below cost. The fashionable wedding which was to have taken place between a young lady on Ashland avenue and a young man on Peoria street is off, and the jeweller's clerk has taken out a warrant against the young man on Peoria street, for assault and battery. This is how it happened.

The young man on Peoria street had arranged to give the young woman on Ashland avenue a gold locket for a New Year's gift. On consultation, his betrothed declined to have anything inscribed on the token but her Christian name. "You see," she said, "I expect to change my other name, duckey, before next year, and if anything were to happen like a death or a divorce it would still suit me, you see. Just put simple 'Alice' on it, pretty." The young man from Peoria street went to the prominent jeweller and bought a $200 locket. "Want any inscription on it?" said the clerk. "Yes. I want simple 'Alice' cut on in very plain, deep letters." "Want what?" "Want it inscribed simply 'Alice.'" "Sample Alice?" returned the clerk, who said subsequently that he couldn't believe his ears. "Yes, simple 'Alice,'" replied the young man from Peoria street. "All right, sir," said the clerk, adding, *sotto voce*, "simple idiot."

On New Year's Eve the young man from Peoria street got the locket, and at once forwarded it to the young lady on Ashland avenue. On New Year's Day he called at her residence, and was astonished to discover that the young lady was not at home. As the man, in slender words, unexplained, standing on the rug the colored cachuman approached him and handed him a pack. Asked with the remark, "Now then young feller, yo' clah out of dis!" and as the young fellow slowly went down the steps he beheld the young lady in the bay window, leaning on the arm of his late laughing mentor, and pointing the finger of scorn at him. On opening the parcel the young man from Peoria street found in it his letters and a cake, wherein was a $200 locket, whereon were cut in plain deep letters, 'Simple Alice.'

And that is how the clerk of a South Side jeweller wears armlets under his left eye. There is a handsome locket for sale at Lapman's below cost. The fashionable wedding which was to have taken place between a young lady on Ashland avenue and a young man on Peoria street is off, and the jeweller's clerk has taken out a warrant for assault and battery against the young man on Peoria street.

DYEING AND BRISTLING WITH BAYONETS.—The military contributor of the Cologne *Gazette* compares the present strength of the German army with that of the armies of other leading European Powers. At the beginning of 1875 the German army consisted of 1 830 officers, 1 329 600 men, 314 970 horses, and 2 082 field guns. These figures do not include the fourth battalions 1 400 officers and 172 100 men, formed in case of war, or the landsturm to be raised under the new law, which would bring into the field a force, by the lowest computation, of 3,718 officers and 202 500 men. The total force at the disposal of Germany is therefore 38,948 officers (and 1 634 200 men, excluding surgeons and the hospital corps, and not taking into account the probability that the estimated force of the landsturm will be greatly exceeded when in the field. The strength of the Russian army, including the Don Cossacks, but excluding Caucasus and the Asiatic troops, is 1 175 860 men, of whom 761 000 are available for field service. The French army 1,098,400 men, of whom 665,700 are available for the field; the Austrian 865 000, including 502 750 field troops and reserves; the Italian 741 700 including 279 000 field troops and reserves; and the English (including militia, but excluding volunteers) 389,240, of whom 136 860 are the highest number available for the field without fresh enlistment. From these figures Germany is the first military power in Europe. The organization of the territorial army in Russia puts it relatively increase the French army by from 480 000 to 626 000 men, while the Germans will have 100 000 more soldiers than France and by putting forth all her strength she might obtain 200 000 or 300 000 more. It is also to be considered that even if the German army were raised to 1 500 000 men, it would consist almost entirely of well trained soldiers, while in France can only be the case as regards the territorial reserve in some twenty-five years' time.

AN EVENT OF EARLY OCCURRENCE.—President Grant gains one more day in office than the American elector bargained for. The 4th of March 1877 will come on Sunday, and by statute the inauguration of the President elect days not take place until the next day. Thus in the history of the Republic this has occurred in 1821 the second inauguration of James Monroe, and in 1849 when Zachary Taylor was inducted.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, February 17, 1875.

Gold in New York, 110¾.

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 87½ selling 88.

Legal tenders in San Francisco 87½ buying 88½ selling.

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Price of Sterling exchange, New York, $4 88.

Gold bars "25@25.50

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